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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTSBox Patent Application
Washington, D.C. 20231

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:

COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS RELATING TO PROSTATE SPECIFIC GENES AND PROTEINS

and invented by:

Salceda et al.

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Application Elements

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2. Specification having 145 pages and including the following:
 - a. Descriptive Title of the Invention
 - b. Cross References to Related Applications (*if applicable*)
 - c. Statement Regarding Federally-sponsored Research/Development (*if applicable*)
 - d. Reference to Microfiche Appendix (*if applicable*)
 - e. Background of the Invention
 - f. Brief Summary of the Invention
 - g. Brief Description of the Drawings (*if drawings filed*)
 - h. Detailed Description

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3. Drawing(s) (when necessary as prescribed by 35 USC 113)
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4. Oath or Declaration
a. Newly executed (*original or copy*) Unexecuted
b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (*for continuation/divisional application only*)
c. With Power of Attorney Without Power of Attorney
d. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application,
see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

5. Incorporation By Reference (*usable if Box 4b is checked*)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is
Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application
incorporated by reference therein.

6. Computer Program in Microfiche (*Appendix*)

7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (*if applicable, all must be included*)
a. Paper Copy
b. Computer Readable Copy (*identical to computer copy*)
c. Statement Verifying Identical Paper and Computer Readable Copy

Accompanying Application Parts

8. Assignment Papers (*cover sheet & document(s)*)

9. 37 CFR 3.73(B) Statement (*when there is an assignee*)

10. English Translation Document (*if applicable*)

11. Information Disclosure Statement/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations

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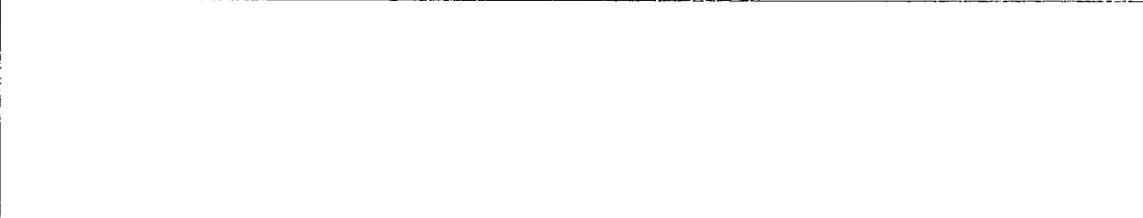
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15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)
16. Additional Enclosures (*please identify below*):


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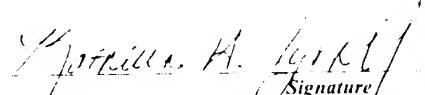
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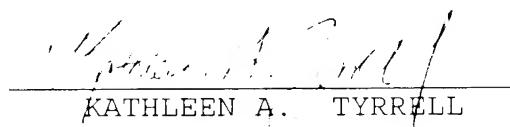
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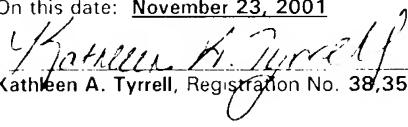
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Applicant: **diaDexus, Inc.**
Inventors: **Salceda et al.**
Serial No.: **Not yet assigned**
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